

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 5 as follows:

This application is a Continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/552,230 filed on April 19, 2000, hereby incorporated by reference as to its entirety.

This patent application is related to the following patent applications ~~filed herewith:~~

(1) U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/552,262 (B&W 03797.87364), entitled “Pre-Computing and Encoding Techniques for an Electric Document to Improve Run-Time Processing,” filed on April 19, 2000, and having named inventors Jerry Dunietz, Nathan Lewis, and Jason Hills.

(2) U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/552,001 (B&W 03797.84622), entitled “Hypertext Link Destination Index For An Electronic Document,” filed on April 19, 2000, and having named inventors Jerry Dunietz and Jason Hills.